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Examiner: PAREKH, NITIN

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WITH PATTERNEDE SOLDER MASK
DEFINING OPEN DIE ATTACH AREA
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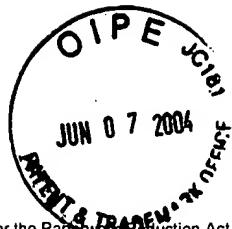
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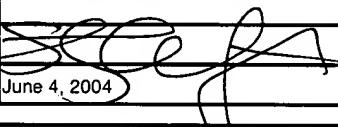
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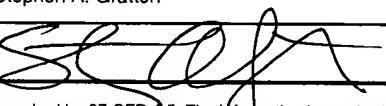
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